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For: SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR IMPROVING THE RANKING OF NEWS ARTICLES	) ) ) )

## AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the final Office Action, dated September 5, 2007, and the filing of a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) concurrently herewith, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 14 of this paper.